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## Happenings in and Around Frank

A. A. Muller left on Monday for Calgary, he returned to town on Thursday.

G. P. Gimen went to Calgary on Thursday last and returned to Frank on Saturday.

Ice cream and refreshments will be served on the veranda or the inside of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium every Wednesday and Sunday all day.

Quite a number attended the opera at Coleman on Monday night and enjoyed "The Belle of Barnstapole" very much.

The Rocky Mountain Sanatorium was the scene of considerable activity on Sunday. Quite a large number registered there and spent the day remarkably well.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invariably bring relief to women suffering from chronic constipation, headache, biliousness, dizziness, sallowness of the skin and dyspepsia. Sold by dealers everywhere.

Rev. George Edwards preached in the Methodist church here on Sunday evening last while Rev. K. Kingston went to Cowley and took charge of Mr. Edwards' work for that day.

Edward Kendricks and James Pison, of Passburg, were before Inspector Belcher on Friday last for selling meat which was unfit for human consumption and were each fined \$5 and costs.

Medicine that aid nature are always successful. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy acts on the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by dealers everywhere.

Many of our citizens are very much dissatisfied with a write-up about Frank which appeared in a recent issue of the Calgary Daily Herald. It does not do justice to the town and is not much better than none at all.

The Methodist church here will give a concert in the Miners hall on Monday evening next. Some of the best talent in The Pass has been engaged for this event and an enjoyable evening will be surely spent by those who will attend.

The announcement that a miraculous spring has been discovered bubbling forth from under the altar of the Church of St. Clotilde has brought thousands from far and near on a visit to the church. An altar, on which a new statue of the Blessed Virgin had recently been placed, suddenly required the attention of a plumber. Investigation showed the spring of pure water bubbling from the earth. A similar occurrence was reported some time ago from a church of the same name in Lou, France. It is said that since the discovery of the spring two people, who were suffering from different ailments, were cured instantly by the use of the water.

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## Important to Wool Growers and Sheep Breeders

The commission appointed by the Dominion Government to inquire into conditions affecting the wool and mutton industry of Canada will sit in the Knights of Pythias Hall in Lethbridge on March 27th and 28th; the offices of the Alberta Live Stock Association, Calgary on the 29th and 30th and in the City Council Chamber, Edmonton on March 31st and April 1st.

Let the Alberta wool and mutton growers show their interest in this matter by appearing before the Commission at one or the other of these places and informing that body of the difficulties in the way of wool and mutton production in Alberta, and suggesting such remedies as they think are necessary under the circumstances.

## A New Department of the C. N. R.

The new Immigration Office of the Canadian Northern Railway has been opened at 52 Scott Block, Winnipeg, and is described by the city press as already a very busy spot. Mr. Thomas Howell, head of the department, with the experience of several years in immigration work to guide him, is conducting a propaganda in Great Britain that has enabled him to secure the finest class of immigrants who have ever come to Canada. The Royal Line Steamers have their full accommodation taken for all sailings well into the summer. Mr. Hawley of the Winnipeg Office, is claiming a large proportion of farm lands and domestics for the West, and if the applications from those desiring help are as prompt and in as sufficient numbers as at present, he is assured, the labor problem will be solved for the following season. Application forms will be supplied by addressing W. A. Hawley, 52 Scott Block, Winnipeg.

## He Sure Wants to Come West.

From a Toronto daily paper we call the following ad:  
For Sale.—A fine bred stocky mare well set up, six years old; light delivery wagon, seven dozen milk cans, 18 dozen milk jars, two sacks carrots, 3 bales hay, 1 sack oats, 1 set harness in good repair, 1 cream separator, 1 gramophone and two dozen records, 1 bedstead, mattress, pillows and four blankets stable implements, and a lot of other odds and ends. Owner will accept \$80 cash for the lot, as he wants to go west. Apply F. S. H., office of this paper.

## Here and There

Lethbridge may have a street mail delivery by the 1st of April. Mrs. Samuel Lock, of Vermillion, Alta., committed suicide last week by drinking lye.

A bill to compel railways to pay their employees fortnightly, was killed in the senate last week by a vote of 13 to 12.

The "Gideons" Society intends to place a copy of the Bible in every bedroom of every hotel in Canada. There are over 7,000 hotels in the Dominion.

Honorable Robert Rogers, Minister of public works for Manitoba, says that Liberals couldn't carry a seat in Manitoba if they were to appeal to the country on the question of the reciprocity agreement.

## Notice

All Dog taxes must be paid at the office of W. A. Beebe, the Secretary-Treasurer, of the village of Blairmore, on or before the 1st day of April, 1911. Those who fail to comply with this law will have their dogs shot.

By order of village council.  
THOMAS FRAYER,  
Chairman.

Blairmore, March 16, 1911.

## Happenings in and Around Blairmore

S. Cooper came up from Slavelly on Friday.

H. H. C. Metge, of Macleod, came to Blairmore on Saturday.

S. E. Tradley, of Victoria, B. C., was a visitor to Blairmore on Sunday.

Miss Albert visited Lethbridge on Tuesday and returned to Blairmore on Wednesday.

D. Clemis, of Lethbridge, was doing business in Blairmore this week. He left for the West on Tuesday.

The ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church wish to remind the people of Blairmore that they will give a bazaar and high tea in the Mercantile hall on Wednesday evening next.

The Rev. Mr. Tudd, M. A., B. D., has been appointed to succeed Rev. H. J. Langlois as pastor of the Presbyterian church here. It is rumored that the Rev. A. J. Langlois leaves in the early part of April to take charge of a metropolitan church in one of the leading cities in the East.

W. Saunders, representing the Henderson Directory, of Winnipeg, was in town on Tuesday gathering data for a directory which will soon be gotten out for this province. He was surprised at the wonderful growth of Blairmore and predicted a fair future for the "El Dorado of the Golden West."

for the Thomson Steamship Line, one of the finest lines of trans-Atlantic passenger boats. The fleet comprises six new, speedy and magnificent steamships, while the rates between Canada and Europe are said to be lower than any other line.

## Coleman Notes

Colin McLeod will open a law office in the Graham block.

It must be very hard to want to say something and to not know anything to say.

A dance was given in the opera house after the show on Monday night.

N. B. Finn spent Sunday in town. He returned to Cranbrook on Monday.

"The Belle of Barnstapole" was much enjoyed at the opera house on Monday evening.

In the Crow's Nest Pass, deer on the track are causing railway engineers considerable trouble. (O, dear)

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle aid and curative properties. Sold by dealers everywhere.

## Dance at Lille

A successful dance took place at the Lille hotel on Friday last being attended by a large number for a comparative small place. Dancing commenced at 8 o'clock and was kept up until about 5 a.m. Saturday morning. Mr. John May officiated as floor manager, and Messrs. T. Hughes of Frank and J. Robertson of Lille, supplied good music. Included in those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. John May, Mr. and Mrs. Albert May, Mr. and Mrs. James May, Mr. and Mrs. John Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Keever, Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett, Mrs. Hinebine, Miss Hughes, Miss Mollitt, Miss Kidd, Messrs. James Boyle, John Allenby, John MacLachlan, John Murray E. Sutherland, J. Roberts, W. Guthrie, Robert Griffiths.

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## News of World-Wide Interest From the Canadian Metropolis

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Montreal, March 22.—If the pick and shovel men work as hard when the time comes as the legislators have been doing lately the island of Montreal will be ancient history even to the present generation. Bill after bill is being presented to the legislature at Quebec and charter after charter is being sought asking for power and authority to build bridges and tunnels across the St. Lawrence and the Riviere des Prairies from the mainland to the island of Montreal. Of course the rivers will still be there, but if the plans all mature the crossing of them from the island to the mainland will be like crossing the Seine from one district to another of Paris.

Despite the fact that reciprocity does not stand a chance of being settled one way or the other for some time to come Canadian industries are booming, and there is a feeling of the utmost confidence pervading the atmosphere breathed by those who have money tied up in Canadian industrial securities. The severe depressions which have prevailed during the past twelve months in such staples as cement, iron and asbestos are now lifting and legitimate business is getting back to a normal basis again.

On the whole industrial stocks and bonds have never been looked upon more favorably than now.

The P. Burns Limited of Calgary, the great ranchers and packers of the west, have just made a million dollar bond issue through the Dominion securities. They are being snapped up in record time—even beating the old record held by this same firm a year or so ago for disposing of its offerings. The character of P. Burns himself is in the meantime responsible for this. People in the east think as much of the old pioneer and patriot as they do in the west, where he lives and is known, but it's the rattling success he has made of his business that makes those who have money to invest anxious to get in with him. The Rely Telephone is also putting out another issue, this time through the Royal Securities, Max Aitken, Canada's British M. P., being the father of it so to speak. Max is coming back to home and glory soon and Montreal is preparing a brass band welcome for him.

Agents of Mormonism are active in Montreal. They are distributing literature throughout the city. They are endeavoring by personal intercourse to persuade members of any churches to accept the doctrine of the so-called "Church of Jesus."

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medicine, visited hot springs and other  
mineral water resorts, but only got tem-  
porary relief. They would help me for a  
time, but after discontinuing the medi-  
cine the symptoms would break out  
again—eczema, itches, blotches, rheu-  
matic pains, looseness of the hair, swellings  
of the glands, points of the hands, etc.,  
itchiness of the skin, dyspeptic stomach,  
etc. I had given up in despair when a  
friend advised me to consult you, as you had cured him of a similar disease 8 years ago.  
I had to leave, but at his advice, I gave you time for some correspondence and to send  
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## Home Course in Health Culture

### XV.—Germs in the Home

By EUGENE L. FISK, M. D.  
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There are "good germs" and "bad germs," just as there are "good trusts" and "bad trusts." "Germs busting" in some respects resembles "trust busting." Publicity and the light of day are supposed to be correctives for bad trusts. Busting and fresh air will unquestionably restrain the activities of bad germs.

An example of a good germ is the lactic acid bacillus found in sour milk. Tablets containing these germs are now used in medicine for the treatment of intestinal trouble, it having been found that they destroy certain harmful bacteria that fester in the intestines. In fact, the "elixir of life" in the form of artificially soured milk may now be purchased at drug fountains, but whether it is a real elixir and actually prolongs life by killing of the bacteria that produce old age has not been fully passed upon by science. However, these lactic acid bacilli are quite useful and are also employed in the treatment of infective processes in the nose and mouth.

**Diseases Due to Germs.**  
It is not so long ago—only about fifty years—that learned men were willing to debate about "spontaneous generation." It was the microscope that revealed the microscopic organisms that were found in certain fermenting and decomposing fluids were "spontaneously"

generated. Burn or bury all garbage or refuse. Keep your stable floors clean and wash them occasionally with hot soda solution (one ounce common soda to twelve quarts soft soap and water). Manure heaps or vaults should be disinfected with powdered chloride of lime.

Piles find a splendid breeding ground in a stable. Sewage vaults should be cleaned frequently and disinfected and protected from flies by chloride of lime or milk of lime. A filthy pigeon is also a fine breeding place for flies. Pigeons should be so built that they may be flushed out and cleaned. The manure is a valuable fertilizer and may be stored, but should be covered with dry earth, chloride of lime or crude oil.

The task of keeping flies out of the house is a difficult one. Screens and a fly buster, fly paper, etc., only mitigate the evil. The rational method is to prevent breeding.

The mosquito does not carry the germ of malaria on its feet, as the housefly carries the typhoid bacillus, but in its salivary gland. The mosquito is known as the "intermediate host" of the malarial parasite. In other words, the parasite is received into the digestive tract of the mosquito and the body part is developed until it passes into the salivary gland, from which it is injected into the next human that the mosquito bites.

The mosquito must be kept and is going. The hospitality he has extended to the plasmodium of malaria has downed him, and the "anopheles" mosquito is the great host and the one which we must especially seek to destroy. The common mosquito, "culex," which flies in the daytime, is harmless. As far as we know, Anopheles may be known by its attitude on a flat surface—hind legs and body are elevated at an angle, while culex keeps the body parallel with the surface. Anopheles has spotted wings, culicid not. Anopheles bites in the early evening, culicid at any time.

**How to Avoid Malaria.**  
Avoid the anopheles mosquito and you will avoid malaria. Bad air has positively nothing to do with malaria. Particularly avoid being bitten by mosquitoes in the early evening. Screen your house and also screen your bed with netting if you live in a malarial locality. Best of all, do not let mosquitoes breed around your house. A small pool of standing water will produce thousands. I have seen countless swarms of mosquitoes on a golf course where the sole breeding places were water boxes for washing golf balls.

Allow no standing water around your place. Screen your water barrel or cistern. Pour coal oil along the margin of swamp or slow running streams. Drain all stagnant water. Deplete the mosquito of a place to breed and the "fever and ague" will not get you.

**Pneumonia, Grip, Etc.**  
Every one fears scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough and diphtheria, for they are well known to be communicable or contagious. It is not so generally known that pneumonia is an infectious general disease with a local manifestation in the lungs. The pneumonia germ, residing in several bacterial names, of which "Diplococcus pneumoniae" is the most commonly named, is rather short lived and easily killed by sunlight and fresh air. In the modern treatment of pneumonia these agencies are utilized, and the patient is treated so far as possible in the open air. Every precaution should be taken to destroy the spores of pneumonia patients. A strong lye is a good disinfectant for this purpose, but burning is better. People in attendance on pneumonia patients should protect themselves from infection.

**Home Disinfectants.**  
Heat—Boiling is the most effective way of sterilizing clothing, handkerchiefs, towels, etc., and is the best method of treatment in this way. Useless infectious articles should be burned. Soap—One ounce of common household soap dissolved in one quart (soft soap and water) is an excellent cleanser for floor, refrigerators, etc. Chloride of Lime—Powdered chloride of lime is a strong disinfectant and deodorizer. It should have a pungent, penetrating odor and an extremely irritating effect on the eyes and air passages, otherwise it is inert and useless.

**Milk of Lime.**—One quart of dry, freshly slacked lime to four or five quarts of water, useful for the same purpose as chloride of lime in disinfecting stable drains, sewage vaults, sinks, and other places where purification, foul odors or infection may exist. Carbolic Acid Solution.—Six ounces of one gallon of water. This is dangerous to use around the house and should be used with care. Useful for wiping floor, washing utensils and pouring down drains when infection is feared.

**Formalin.**—One part of formalin to ten of water is quite as useful and less dangerous than the former. For disinfecting rooms use the following for each thousand cubic feet of space: Place four ounces of potassium permanganate crystals in a metal pail; add eight ounces of formalin (40 per cent solution). Place this pail in the middle of the room, which should be left tightly closed for from five to twenty-four hours. Avoid inhaling the gas which is quickly formed after mixing the above ingredients. This gas does not penetrate and does not injure metals or fabrics. It will not destroy insects. Two ounces of gum camphor added to the above mixture will kill flies and mosquitoes.

To completely disinfect clothing, bedding and upholstery the formalin solution must be freshly sprayed directly on these articles.

## THEY'RE NOT SO BAD.

Frank Bullen Says Sharks Are Really Good Fellows.

Even the shark, dreaded as he is, has some good points about him, especially when you take into account his own viewpoint. But you will find a bad fellow after all. Mr. Frank T. Bullen recently gave an address before a gathering of children held under the auspices of the Royal Geographical Society in London, and he related some interesting facts about sharks and other strange creatures of the deep.

"I can assure you," he observed in a manner which breathed sincerity, "that the shark is really a most estimable creature. He eats man, no doubt, but not because he likes man as a diet—simply because man happens to be there. I have seen him swallow a bag of cinders just thrown overboard, and no one would suggest that a shark was fond of cinders. He eats because he cannot help eating everything that comes in his way. His desire to devour makes him the scourge of the sea."

The lecturer told a story of an incident he had witnessed. A shark was hooked, and having been dragged on board was mutilated in the cruel way which sailors reserve for what they regard as the enemy of mankind. When the brute was thrown overboard still alive. The bait was taken by him, and the expiring shark immediately turned on him and devoured it. And would the shark attract the life-long affection and esteem of another fish unless it had estimable qualities? As Mr. Bullen added pathetically, he had nowhere to put it. And would the shark attract the life-long affection and esteem of another fish unless it had estimable qualities? As Mr. Bullen added pathetically, he had nowhere to put it.

It is just as well, as Mr. Bullen pointed out, that there is always a constant warfare and hunting going on among the denizens of the ocean. There were no vegetarians. All existed to eat and be eaten—nothing was lost. The old sea person would require. The fecundity of the ocean was so vast that it had been estimated that it could not run out of fish. And would the shark attract the life-long affection and esteem of another fish unless it had estimable qualities? As Mr. Bullen added pathetically, he had nowhere to put it.

When he thought of the fish that swarmed on the Great Bank of Newfoundland his head turned dizzy with the possibilities of the amount of food they suggested.

Describing the jelly fish as being the lowest form of life, Mr. Bullen said it multiplied by dividing itself, and lived on fish far bigger in the scale of life than itself. Yet, exposed to the elements, it would melt away in a few minutes.

People might write about the anti-diluvian monsters, but they were "not in it" compared with the modern whale, which weighed as much as 250 tons. There was another whale which could swallow a half-a-dozen recalcitrant Jonahs at once. From the head of one of the monsters in the Behning Sea, a humpback whale (a ton and three-quarters) had been taken to pay the whole cost of the voyage. Yet this monster, helpless, and only had to be chased long enough for it to catch a train after a heavy meal.

**Absent-minded Lord Derby.**  
Lord Derby could be very absent-minded, and once on a time he walked with Lord Clarendon, his opponent, and told him all the secrets of the Cabinet. Lord Clarendon listened amazed, but thought it too large an order when he was asked to keep the secret. It was not for him to counsel his political foe. At this intimation Lord Derby wrote and asked him to think of it. I thought all the time I was talking to a colleague. He had continued, that the cabinet secret was a matter of controversy he had been having with other ministers at the Foreign Office. Of course Lord Clarendon honorably preserved the Cabinet secret, but he told his story against Lord Derby and made a laughing matter.

**A White Blackbird.**  
A white blackbird has been seen near Dalkeld. It appeared on a garden path and then flew into the garden, and was pecking into the earth beneath a bush for food in the form of a dainty worm. Afterwards it made a flight into a field close to the garden, and, as the spectator watched it, he noted the white markings of the bird. The black of the head and neck was white, and white was noticed on the back of the neck. The wings were conspicuous for whiteness.

**Old Theatre Dug Up.**  
According to recent sections of the amphitheatre in King Arthur's round table field in Monmouthshire, England, has been unearthed. The Archaeological Society has made excavations around the walls and the arches of the theatre. The theatre, the sand which formed the bed of the arena, and a corner-stone. From inscriptions on the stone they trace the date of the theatre back to 110 A.D., or 1,600 years.

**Fixing the Jury.**  
When a charge of meat stealing was about to be heard at the Swansea County Sessions, the man charged with the offence was found to be mistaken. He was discovered among the grand jury, helping to decide whether there was a bill against himself or not. He explained that the jurymen were all prisoners. He was found not guilty and discharged.

## LINGERIE POINTERS.

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## Home Course in Tree Preservation

By JOHN DAVEY  
Father of Tree Surgery.

### IV.—Errors in Transplanting Trees.

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AMERICA was "the land of forests," but mountains, dale, hill and plain are now about devoid of her trees, thereby destroying both wealth and glory. I was recently called to Philadelphia, Pa., to give a lecture on "The Reclamation of Our Trees," and to going from Tyrone to Philadelphia I nearly made the tree sick. The beautiful hills on that part of the Allegheny mountains were everywhere stripped of trees, and even the most magnificent specimens of pines, hemlock and other conifers. It is with sadness that the people have seen the precious forests fade away. There is a blight in the love of the tree man, and as he looks upon the barren bleakness of treeless expanse he sighs for something to relieve the dreary, dreary prospect. He wishes to see and commences to realize what it means to be without shade in the heat of summer and no trees to break the force of the blast in winter; hence, he really says that there should be shade trees by the highway, clumps or groves around the home, as well as the fruit trees in the orchard and garden. He

goes to the woodlot and hunts for the young maple or elm, and, having found them, proceeds to cut them down, and of the commonest mistakes he makes is to plant too close together, but the one mistake above all others is—well, "Whack!" off goes the top. Very often the shade trees come from the nurseries with this same grave error committed on them.

By cutting off the top to order to live at all the growth is forced out from the twigs, and as the stub gradually decays a weak point is made right in the center so that as soon as the branches are of any considerable size the strain of the windstorm is sent it open at that point where the greatest strength is required. Every storm that comes along is weakening it still more, and the larger the branches the greater the leverage of the wind.

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### COLEMAN IS ON STRIKE

The Miners Have Been Idle Since  
Saturday—Refuse to Pay Company  
For Water and Light

HELD MEETING ON SUNDAY

Crowds of Idle Miners Throng the  
Streets—Company Hold Union  
Fees Pending a Settlement

At a meeting of local 2633 of the United Mine Workers of America, held in the Miners' hall, at Coleman, on Sunday afternoon, the miners in the employ of the International Coal & Coke Co., Ltd., decided to go out on strike because the company refused to hand over to the union the monthly fees of the union men deducted from their pay on Saturday last. The amount in question is about \$1,524. The company claims that the union owes them about \$900 for light and water which they have used in connection with the miners' hospital and for which the company has not received any payment during the past five years. Against this the union claim that they were to receive all water and light for their hospital free of charge.

The streets of Coleman are now crowded by idle miners, and business has already received a set-back. It is probable that the miners of Coleman will remain idle until a new agreement has been signed by the operators and representatives of the union to replace the one which expires on Friday of next week.

### Board of Trade

#### Special Meeting

The special meeting of the Blairmore Board of Trade held on Monday night last was well attended.

The business of the meeting—consideration of constitution and bye-laws—was taken up. The committee presented their report with amendments, etc., for approval.

President Coulthard stated that the Fernie bye-laws required for ten to constitute a quorum, and he considered that seven would be quite sufficient.

The secretary read the bye-laws, with proposed amendments, which were accepted by the Board.

Messrs. W. A. Beebe and F. E. Hinds were appointed auditors for the ensuing year, and were asked to bring forward report on the preceding year's work at the next general meeting.

The secretary was given permission to provide stationery for the Board.

The matter of raising the salary of the secretary was brought up, and a committee asked to consider same and report.

Applications for membership were received from J. R. Smith, R. Green and G. A. Passmore, all of whom were elected members.

Next week we will give an account of the official opening of the new sanatorium hotel.

### Man Burned To Death

A mysterious fire occurred at Hillcrest on Friday evening last whereby a man named Samuel Woodman, aged 27 years, a well-known carpenter, lost his life and a house with all its valuable contents were reduced to ashes.

Flames were seen issuing from the residence on the McLean ranch late that evening but although a large number gathered around the conflagration soon after the fire was discovered, it was impossible to save the burning building or any of its contents. Woodman was left in charge of the house while the McLeans were visiting in the East, and as soon as the fire was discovered an anxious crowd congregated around the enveloped building wondering if Woodman had become a victim. Several efforts were made to penetrate that mass of flames but without success and it was not until the fire had about burned itself out that Woodman's charred remains were found in the cellar.

An inquest was held at Frank on Monday which was adjourned until Tuesday when the following verdict was rendered:

"That the deceased, Samuel Woodman, came to his death while in a state of intoxication, by burning in a fire which occurred on March 17th, 1911, in a log residence at McLean's ranch, the cause of the fire being unknown."

### The Alberta

#### Musical Festival

The fourth Alberta Musical Competition Festival will be held in Edmonton during the third week of May and promises to be an even greater success than in previous years. It was hoped that this year's festival would have been held in Calgary, so as to give those in the southern parts of the province a better chance of competing, but the musical people of Calgary found themselves unable to take charge of the festival and it will therefore be once more held in the capital city.

The committee would specially call the attention of the smaller towns to a new competition, added this year, for quartettes of mixed voices, the members of which need not belong to the same or to any church choir, and also to the new competitions for vocal duets, (soprano & contralto or tenor and bass).

Soloists will find that the oratorio numbers selected for this year's competition are not of such great difficulty as last year, while the competition for boy and girl soloists, under fifteen years of age, should attract a number of the younger musicians of the province.

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Bulyea has this year donated a silver cup which will be awarded to the most artistic performance in any class given during the festival.

A copy of the Syllabus can be obtained from the secretary of the Festival (Mr. F. Lansden, P. O. Box 687 Edmonton) or from one of the local secretaries who are as follows: Mr. Percy Newcome, Calgary; Mr. Claude Hughes, Wetaskiwin; Mr. T. MacGee, Crossfield; Mr. S. S. Newton, Raymond and Cardston; Mr. L. M. Gaez, Red Deer; Mr. A. Z. Tilley, Lethbridge; Mr. C. E. K. Cox, Strathcona.

The secretary has also a full supply of all the competition music so that there need be no delay in competitors obtaining same.

As in previous years the railway companies will give a special rate of a single fare for the return journey.

### MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

Blairmore School Is Far Overtaxed  
Board Decides to have present  
Building Enlarged.

ADDITION WILL COST \$5,000

Teaching Staff will be Increased.

Reports of the Past Year are  
Very Encouraging.

The school board met in Mr. Beebe's office on Thursday evening last. There were present W. A. Beebe, chairman; T. Dutil, secretary-treasurer; T. Frayer and H. E. Lyon.

A very encouraging report from inspector Morgan was read. He advised the board to make an addition to their school and have an increase made to the teaching staff.

Moved by H. E. Lyon, seconded by T. Frayer, that the sum of \$25 be expended for school library and that the secretary-treasurer write the department of education re the selection of books, etc.—Carried.

The secretary-treasurer was also instructed to get a copy of the new truncheon act.

Moved by H. E. Lyon, seconded by T. Frayer, that the secretary-treasurer write the department of education for permission to borrow \$5,000 by sale of debentures for the purpose of building and furnishing an addition of two rooms to the present building—Carried. H. E. Lyon moved and T. Frayer seconded that D. A. Sinclair be elected as the assessor for the school district—Carried.

### Man Shoots Him-

self at Burmis

Thomas Harvey, known by many throughout The Pass because of his peculiar manner, ended his earthly life on Friday last.

On Friday Tom was found dead in his shack at the east end of Burmis and by his side was found a shot gun which had a string attached to the trigger and which too plainly told the tale that the last big game that he ever shot was Tom, himself. His head was completely blown off and Tom will never more roam the prairies and hills here in search of gophers and squirrels but has gone to another camping ground from which no sportsman ever returns.

An inquest was held by Coroner Pinkney on Saturday. The jury returned a verdict that Thomas Harvey came to his death by suicide while in a melancholy state of mind.

### "The Belle of Barnstapole."

A large crowd greeted "The Belle of Barnstapole" at the Coleman opera house on Monday evening. This musical opera was put on by the Pincher Creek Operatic Society and was interesting right from the start to the finish. There was not one dull moment. All the performers did their parts admirably well and had the large audience captivated from the time the curtain rose until the singing of the national anthem. Pincher

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